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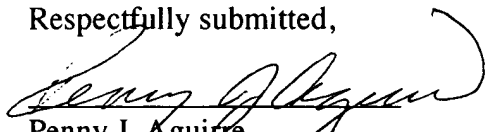
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Title *Sedum spectabile* Plant Named 'Pink Chablis'

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Respectfully submitted,


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See attachment.

Per notice 1.251 sent 03/17/08 regarding color drawings dated 02/28/00. The notice does not give a reply date for drawings. NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS is related document that correctly addresses drawing requirement & due date, which is 2 months from mail date as indicated above.

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